

October 20, 1983

Mr. Harry Seraydarian, Director Toxics & Waste Management Division United States Environmental Protection Agency Region IX 215 Fremont Street San Francisco, CA

Re: AZD088301213

Dear Mr. Seraydarian:

Model Industries has received the EPA approval of the Closure Plan submitted by our subsidiary, Union Manufacturing Inc., located in Chandler, AZ.

Instructions were given to remove contaminated soil from Areas A and B until the maximum concentration of lead and chromium do not exceed a toxicity level of 5 ppm; soil is to be similarly removed from Area C until background levels for Xylene and Toluene are reached.

In an effort to remove the soil to a proper level, we feel it will be necessary to make some additional soil sample analyses at the one to two and one half foot levels, as well as three to four and one half foot levels, in Areas B and C.

This requirement for additional testing will delay the actual soil removal until approximately mid-November of this year.

Please be advised that every effort is being made to comply with the EPA requirements in a timely fashion.

Sincerely

Claude B. Siemien

Manufacturing Manager

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cc: D.J.Scimeca M.Gohlmann

Norm Weiss, Arizona Dept. of Health Services